

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE - EXAMINING GROUP 1650**

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Orest W. Blaschuk *et al.*
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For : COMPOUNDS AND METHODS FOR REGULATING CELL
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Examiner : Jeffrey E. Russel
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Commissioner for Patents:

In response to the Office Action dated March 27, 2007, please extend the period of time for response two months, to expire on August 27, 2007. Enclosed are a Petition for an Extension of Time and authorization for payment of the requisite fee. Please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.